RIVERS HIGHER;

Weather Bureau Sends Out Special Forecast of Conditions in Middle West.

CITIES ARE IN DANGER

Worst Flood in Mississippi and Ohio Valleys Is Now Anticipated.

With the wire troubles preventing about half their stations in the near West from reporting, the Weather Bureau last night issued a special forecast, revealing a most threatening situation in the States of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, and Missouri.

the States of Ohlo, Indiana, Illinois, and Missouri.

Floods already under way are due to forecase rapidly within the next wenty-four hours, and others are predicted in sections not yet within the acut danger zone. The city of Pittsburg is menaced, and a height of water within four feet of the flood state is predicted for St. Louis by to-morrow.

Rains have been continuous throughout Ohlo for the last forty-eight hours, and heavy raims are also reported on the Allegheny watershed. There is no sign of a cessation of the raims, and consequently there is every reason to believe that the present situation is but the behave size of the Ohlo and Mississippi valleys have ever experiences.

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DR. ERNEST LEDERLE.

New York, March 21.—Dr. Ernes Leder's, Commissioner of Health o the City of New York, has asked the Special Forecast Issued.

Here is the special forecast:

"In Ohio rains have been continuous for forty-eight hours, from four to seven inches having fallen throughout the morthern and western portions of that State; as a result the Spitote and Sandusky Hivers have reached stages higher than ever known before.

"Heavy rains have also fallen on the Alleghery watershed, but the flood waters have not yet reached stages higher this annothing summertime post declars that the sum asked for by Dr. Lederle large and a scrious flood in that river is not yet antichpasted.

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TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS. (New York Telegraph.)

First race-Spoutlake, Miss Jonah. of race-Golden Ecc. Madman.

Pliew, Third race-Tennessee stable entry, Talterico, Eurip Light, Talterico, Eurip Light, Fourth race-Gorden, Wooden Shoes, Izinty Miot, Fifth race-Mark H. Eubanks, sylvisitis, Theo Cook, Haideman, Naughty Lied.

SAUNDERS

COUNTY

7,000 LIVES REPORTED LOST IN OHIO FLOODS;

stimate the conditions. "It is a catas-rophe," he said. "We are used to hand-ing big things and we will handle this ne."

It is believed many bodies are in the ruins.

Maj. Hartman, in command of the Fort coman Signal Corps, is in charge of the search of for bedies. The dead, as now estimated, will number 24.

At 8 o'clock tonight the Mayor of Daytman, Ohio, sent an appeal to Springfield, Ohio, in which he said probably 5,000 lives had been lost.

A dam in Pigua, Ohio, has gone out, and unconfirmed reports say 500 lives have been lost in that disaster.

The Mayor of Dayton asked that food be sent without deiny. Xenla altracy and the food be sent without deiny. Xenla altracy and the sent without deiny.

Yenla altracy has started three cars of supplies to the stricken city.

The Springfield officials are now in session to take action for the retief of flood sufferers.

Flood gates were closed against all trains coming in or going out of Columbus tonight on all roads, except the Northik and Western.

The water was so great that houses were undernined and carried along in the swift current.

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were undermined and carried along in the swift current. Hundreds were drowned before they had, a chance to seek places of safety had, a chance to seek places of safety The water crept hisher and higher and finally it was thirteen feet deep at the Union Station. Some ports of the city were under thirty feet of water.

NINETEEN KNOWN DEAD IN CITY OF DELAWARE

Many Heart-rending Scenes.

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With the exception of a crippled telegraph service, the town is cut off from the surresulating country.

Ment evaluations scenes are reported from the stricken city. As darkness gathered this evening weeping women and children lined the East banks of the river waving faundiscribers and shouting words of encouragement to loved ones manoned in houses and trees in the swifting waters.

In one tree, where six people are clinging to the branches, repeated of four persons were thrown into the river when the Blackwich briggs save way at 1100 a. m. Three were rescued, but Baith Refers, a printer, who caught on a tree after being carried two hundred yards down stream, is still manoned there.

eral women and a house. All were habited ashore. Mayor V. R. Leas, who was reperted drawned, and who saved himself by catching held of the roof of a shed in a lumber yard, estimates the number of dead anywhere between 25 and 7. The fixed was preceded by a cloud-burst, All wire communication went by the board and in paris. He townpeople at once took in the hills. Two hundred homes were swept away in the first righ of the waters, and more than a million dollars worth of property was destroyed.

erly was destroyed.

Mayor Lees' was painfully injured in lending a rescue party. He was thrown into the water when his best capsized and saved himself by grasping a pass-The river is twenty feet above its

COURSE OF DEATH-DEALING STORM.

NEBRASKA

DOUGLAS

OMAHA

This diagram shows how the terrible festructive tornade that cost hundreds of lives and millions of dollar pt through Nebraska and Iowa, centering around the city of Omaha.

MAYOR TELLS OF DAMAGE.

The following telegram has been received by The Washington Herald from Mayor Dahlman of Omaha, in reply to a query as to the exact damage wrought by the tornado:
"One hundred and fifty are dead, three hundred are injured.

dead, three hundred are injured. Property loss will reach from \$2,000,000 to \$4,000,000. We have Fig. 00,000 to \$1,000,000. We have matters well in hand, and can get along without assistance. Our people are responding nobly. Please accept the thanks of our people for your inquiry. "JAMES C. DAHLMAN.

rmal depth and is still rising. Be-rts indicate that nearly every bridge the county has been swept away.

BURLESON IS DEFENDANT.

anceling Machine Company Aska

That Contract Be Withheld.

Postmaster General Burieson is named defendant in a suit filed in the District Supreme Court yesterday by the B. F. Gommany. Of Chicago, saking that the court prevent the award of contracts for canceling machines during the last days of the Taft administration from becoming effective contracts. For a sample of the Taft administration of the things of the things of the Taft administration from becoming effective contract was awarded to a firm whose bid was much higher than that of the plaintiff's. An injunction restraining Mr. Eurisson from carrying out the award is sought. According to the petition, Postmaster General Burieson has refused to intercede in the matter.

GOLDEN RULES FOR WIVES.

Promulgate Seven of Them.

Free the Philadelphia Record.
Chief Probation Officer Theodore Puls
has promulgated seven rules for wives,
which he commends to all women desirfing domestic happiness, as follows:
Love, honor and obey your husband.
Get breakfast for your husband and see
that he is preperly clothed before going
to work.

THAW GRANTED PRIVILEGE.

It is understood that Thaw desires to consult with his lawyers about the proceedings soon to be brought before a bribe was offered to several persons to bribe was offered to several persons to be from the asylum. Justice Tempkins directs the authorities to allow Thaw to consult with his three attorneys or any one of them in some private room, not offener, busyers than once such week, and for not longer than two hours on any one occasion.

Special Committee to Meet.

The special committee of the Retall Merchantis' Association recently appointed to take up the question of the illumination of Pennsylvania Avenue, will hold a special meeting in the rooms of the association at most noday. Chairman Isaac claus will occupy the chair. The Home Trade Committee, Sidney West, chairman, will meet in the association's quarters at 8 e'clock tenight. Important matters are to be taken up.

Killed by Live Wire

Homesville, Penn., March S.-Joseph Long, proprietor of the Buckborn Hotel, St. Clair, was shocked to death by a live

Largest Morning Circulation.

POTTAW ATTAMIE

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WOMEN AND THEIR MONEY. uin the Outcome of Discouten

From the Hartised Cosmon.

The New York widow who had money and lost it in speculative undertakings and who killed herself with a pistol shot had the wrong kind of help in her disastrous financial operations.

According to the printed stry, the property left to her printed stry, the property left to her the printed shout give a property left to her the printed shout give a property left to her the printed shout and as she was only thirty-seven years old, she probably yielded more and more in the longing for a larger income, penhaps in order that she might do more good with the money, but not improbably for the solo purpose of making a larger show in that social world where meney talks to the taste of ostentanious people.

It appears that she went in for, real estate transactions as the means of making magnetic direct the steps taken. But did this widow go to well-known real estate men with honorable reputations for her guidance? Apparently not. Recentily a man described as a "real estate promoter" was found suity of grand larceny by a New York State court. The man so convicted is reported to be the man to whom she went for advice and direction possible, molecularly in the statisfactory fortune that she had by glowing tales of what she might easily have if she would only let him take charge of her financial affairs for a while.

Even if this widow was made the victim of a carefully arranged plan to get hold of her money by the mouse by the mouse plausible scoundrel in the world, she would have sewed her money and her ilfe if she had gone to any real estate firm of standing and character as a product check upon the seductive stories which sounded as real and substantial to her. It is just at this point that many women who have money and her ilfe if she had gon

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From the Pfiladelpia Noth America.
Out in Newada, where the surface of
the rocky country is almost level, are
found slight depressions, from a few feet
to several rods in diameter, and in many
of these are found hard stones, from the White Plains, N. Y. March Z.—Declaring that it would be unreasonable, oppressive, and un-American to refuse to pressive, and un-American to refuse to several rods in diameter, and in many which provides that no inmate shall consit with columel unless a guard is present, Justice Tompkins in the Suprame cont, Justice Tompkins in the Suprame atons are composed of what is known as Court today decided that Harry K. Thaw may talk in private with his three atternances.

indestones, or magnetic from ore, and they are strongly attracted to each other. If various sizes of these stones are placed on a table or on a smooth floor, from two to four fees sizert, they will begin to travel toward a common center. It wantly that common center is one of the largest of the rolling stones.

If one or two of these magnetic marbles are placed some distance from the group of stones they will begin to journey toward the others, acting very much as it they were allow. How these bids of magnetic ore came to be on the roll plain of Newida is a mystem of the plain of the

So that a sufferer from rheumatiam can have practically continuous electrical treatment a Colorado man has hvented apparatus consisting of insoles for shoes, connected by wires to a storage battery to be carried in the pocket.

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